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In re application of:

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For: METHOD TO SUPPLY ELECTRIC  
CURRENT TO A TUBE FURNACE

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**STATEMENT OF RELEVANCE**

The Taylor U.S. patent and the foreign patent publication identified on the attached form are the publications that were cited in the International Search Report issued by the Swedish Patent Office in connection with the international phase

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of the above-identified international application (PCT/SE2003/001886). Copies of that Search Report and of the International Preliminary Report on Patentability based thereon are also enclosed.

Early and favorable action on this application is respectfully solicited. Should the Examiner have any question he is cordially invited to telephone the undersigned attorney so that any such question can be quickly resolved in order that the present application can proceed toward allowance.

Respectfully submitted,



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**U.S. PATENT DOCUMENTS**

<u>EX'R. INIT.</u>	<u>DOCUMENT NUMBER</u>	<u>DATE</u>	<u>NAME</u>	<u>CLASS/SUBCLASS</u>
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**FOREIGN PATENT DOCUMENTS**

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**OTHER DOCUMENTS**

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